

# Chapter VII: List of Preparers

Name	Responsibility	Education	Years Experience
<b>National Park Service - Yosemite</b>			
Michael J. Tollefson	Superintendent	B.A. Business	31 NPS
Kevin Cann	Deputy Superintendent Operations	2 years undergraduate studies	25 NPS
Tom Nichols	Fire Management Officer Project Manager	B. S. Chemistry/Earth Science M.S. Ecology	26 NPS
Ed Duncan	Former Project Manager, Fire Management Officer Draft FMP/EIS	B. S. Wildlife Management Minors in Biology and Range Mgmt	12 NPS 14 BLM
Jerry Mitchell	Chief GMP Implementation NEPA Coordinator – FMP Purpose & Need, Watersheds, Water Quality, Social Environment, E-J, Public Involvement, Wilderness, Energy Consumption	M. S. Biology B. S. Wildlife Biology	23 NPS 5 other
David A. Mihalic	Former Superintendent	M. S. Recreation Administration B. S. Parks and Recreation Resources	26 NPS 6 other
Kara Paintner	Fire Ecologist, Vegetation AE, Vegetation EC, Target Conditions, Appendix 9 Monitoring Plan, Soils AE, Soils EC, Resource Objectives	Doctorate work in Vegetation Ecology M. A. Biology B. S. Botany	4 NPS 7 university research
Lisa Acree	Section 7 Consultation Biological Assessment, Park and Regional Setting, Wilderness AE, Geology, Climate	B. A. Environmental Studies	11 NPS 6 other
Anne Ashe	Public Comment Reports, Typist, Admin Record	3 years undergraduate studies	10 NPS
Dan Buckley	Public Safety, Mitigations, Wildland Fire Management Situation, Control Problems, Land Use, Special Management Areas, Appendix 3	B. A. Journalism Minors in Anthropology and Biology A.S. Biological Science	22 NPS 3 CDF 1 USFS
Mark Butler	NEPA Coordination - YOSE	M.A. Public Administration B.S. Soil and Water Science Minor - Environmental Toxicology	19 NPS 2 other
Gary Colliver	Public Comment Advisor	M.A. Interdisciplinary Studies (Human Ecology/Geography) B.A. Biology	15 NPS 18 Other
Marie Denn	Ecologist	M. S. Environmental Sciences & Mgmt B. S. Zoology	7 NPS
Ann Dolmage	Address Lists, Letter logging, Comment Coding	B.S. Forestry	4 NPS
Andy Fristensky	Communication Team – FMP Scoping Meeting Presentation, Communication Strategy	B. S. Natural Resources Planning and Interpretation	7 NPS
Sue Fritzke	Vegetation, Special Status Species, Wetlands Review, Target Conditions	M. S. Physical Geography and Plant Ecology B. A. Environmental Studies and Geography	18 NPS
Linn Gassaway	Cultural Resources AE, Target Conditions, Appendix 8	B. A. Anthropology	4 NPS 5 other
Russell Galipeau	Chief of Resource	B. S. Forest Resource Conservation	21 NPS

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	Management, Liaison, Advisor		
Linda Kerr	NEPA Advisor, Vegetation Review, Administrative Review		
Laura Kirn	Cultural Resources AE, Cultural Resources EC	B. S. Anthropology	17 NPS
Mary Kline	Interpretation Liaison, Public Information and Education	B.S. Recreation Management	22 NPS
Alan Kunz	Address Lists, Letter logging, Comment Coding	B. A. English	2 NPS
Paul Laymon	Wild and Scenic Rivers	2 years undergraduate studies	20 NPS 7 other
Brian Mattos	Forester –Yosemite Administrative Review	Registered Professional Forester Licensed Timber Operator B. S. Forest Resources Management	20 NPS USFS, CDF, and industry
Joe Meyer	GIS Fire Return Interval Analysis for Alts and EC's	1 year graduate work B.S. Information and Computer Science	12 NPS 2 other
Brenda Ostrom	Scheduling, Project Management	M. T. Aeronautical Technology B. S. Geography	2 NPS 9 other
Kristina Rylands	Park Editor-in-Chief, Cover Production and Design	Graduate Work in Education B. A. English/Natural History	3 NPS 14 other
Rick Smith	Chief of Interpretation, Liaison, Communications, Advisor	B. S. Park Management	26 NPS
Steve Thompson	Wildlife EC, Special Status Species	M. S. Ecology B. S. Biological Sciences	11 NPS 10 other gov't
Kent Van Wagtendonk	GIS Graphics	M. S. Geographic Information Systems B. A. Geography	2 NPS 1 USFS
Wendy Vittands	Compliance Specialist	B. S. Environmental Science	4 NPS 2 other
Katy Warner	Air Quality	B. A. Environmental Studies	12 NPS
<b>National Park Service – Pacific West Regional Office</b>			
Tom Nichols (transferred to Yosemite Park FMO, 2002)	Admin Review Project Manager	M. S. Ecology B. S. Chemistry/Earth Science	24 NPS
Judy Rocchio	Air Quality COTR	M. S. Air Resources B. S. Geology	8 NPS 3 USFS
Robin Wills	Wetlands	M. S. Forest Ecology B. S. Forest Science	1 NPS 10 The Nature Conservancy 5 USFS
<b>National Park Service – Denver Service Center</b>			
Aaron Worstell	Air Quality Monitoring	B.S. Chemical Engineering	3 NPS 4 EPA
<b>U. S. Geological Survey/Western Ecological Research Center/Yosemite Field Station</b>			
Les Chow	Wildlife Habitat Analysis	M. S. Wildland Resources Sciences (Wildlife Biology) B. S. Conservation and Resource Studies	6 USGS 14 NPS
Jan van Wagtendonk	Vegetation, Fire Return Interval Analysis	Ph.D. Wildland Resources Science (Fire Ecology) M. S. Range Management B. S. Forest Management	6 USGS 22 NOS 9 other gov't
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Daniel L. Raley, PE	Air Quality	M. S. Mechanical Engineering B. E. S. Engineering Mechanics	27